

Remarks

Applicant appreciates the Examiner's indicating allowable subject matter in claims 23, 9 and 11.

Although Applicant respectfully traverses the Examiner's rejection of claim 1, Applicant amended claim 1 to facilitate allowance. Applicant cancelled claim 23 and added its subject matter to claim 1. Applicant moved the location of "wherein...silicon germanium" for clarity.

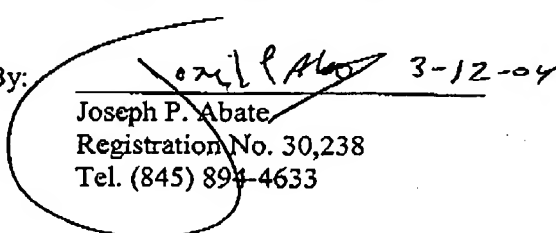
Accordingly, Applicant believes that any rejection under 35USC103 is overcome, and that claims 1-4, 6-11 are allowable.

Neither Comfort, Taka et al., nor Chen et al., applied either singly or in combination, teaches, discloses or suggests the invention of Applicant's Claim 1 (as amended).

Entry and allowance of claims 1-4, 6-11 are solicited.

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